Action Item 7

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COMMISSION DIRECTIVE

ADMINISTRATIVE MATTER	☐	DATE	**October 31, 2018**
MOTOR CARRIER MATTER	☐	DOCKET NO.	**1984-423-E**
UTILITIES MATTER	☑	ORDER NO.	**2018-728**

THIS DIRECTIVE SHALL SERVE AS THE COMMISSION'S ORDER ON THIS ISSUE.

SUBJECT:

DOCKET NO. 1984-423-E - Application of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC for Approval of Establishment of Schedule WC (SC) - Residential Water Heating Service - Staff Presents for Commission Consideration Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC's Request to Terminate Its Residential Water Heating Service Controlled/Sub-Metered Schedule WC.

COMMISSION ACTION:

Grant request to terminate its Residential Water Heating Service Controlled/Sub metered Schedule WC program. While this program has been around since 1984, consumer interest in the program has dropped significantly and there are very few new entrants into the program – none in 2018 and only one in 2017. Due to the reduced consumer interest and the cost of replacing aging equipment needed to facilitate the program, it is no longer cost effective for the program to continue. The Office of Regulatory Staff has reviewed and supports the Company's request.

While termination of this program is permitted under S.C. Code Ann. 58-27-870(f) without notice and hearing, the approved tariff does require 30 days' notice be given to the current program participants. Therefore, I move that we grant the request to terminate the program without further hearing or notice, only so far as it must comply with the terms of the tariff, which requires 30 days' notice to the current participants.

PRESIDING: Randall SESSION: Regular TIME: 2:00 p.m.

	MOTION	YES	NO	OTHER
ELAM	☑	☑	☐	
ERVIN	☐	☑	☐	
HAMILTON	☐	☑	☐	
HOWARD	☐	☑	☐	
RANDALL	☐	☑	☐	
WHITFIELD	☐	☑	☐	
WILLIAMS	☐	☑	☐	

(SEAL) RECORDED BY: J. Schmieding

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